

Rudolf Ammon, Sr.
Feb. 13, 1889 - April 14, 1966

Rudolf Ammon, 77, Area Farmer Many Years, is Stricken

Rudolph Ammon, Sr., 77, a native of Switzerland and a Monticello area farmer for 40 years, died at 7 p. m. Thursday at the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, where he had been a medical patient since Monday of last week.

He was born Feb. 13, 1889, in Canton Bern, Switzerland, a son of Rudolf and Verena Miltpold Ammon. He attended schools in his native country and came to America in 1909, settling in Green county. On Dec. 19, 1914, he was married in Freeport to Fannie Schaer. The couple farmed west of Monticello for 40 years and later farmed north of Argyle for nine years before retiring and moving to Monroe in 1963.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Rudy W., rural Monroe, and John A., Monroe; three daughters, Mrs. Elmer Anding, Madison, Mrs. Kenneth Stuessy, Monroe, and Mrs. Charles Williams, Nuremberg, Germany; two brothers, Ernest and Fred, both of Monroe; a sister, Miss Anna Ammon, Herzogenbuchsee, Switzerland, and 11 grandchildren.

Mr. Ammon was preceded in death by his parents in Switzerland, a grandchild, in infancy, two brothers, Adolf, Monticello, and John, Winslow, and two sisters, Mrs. Emma Zimmerli, Monticello, and Mrs. Walter Henning, New Glarus.

Rites held Monday

Funeral services were held at the Union Presbyterian church in Monroe on Monday afternoon. The Rev. Gerritt E. Mouw, pastor, officiated, interment was in Greenwood cemetery, Monroe.